

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES- M.A.&U.D. Department – Allegation of Corruption against Smt.B.Jyothi Lakshmi, former Municipal Commissioner, Saluru Municipality, Vizianagaram District- Trapped on 03.9.2002 by Anti Corruption Bureau- Prosecution- Acquitted- Dropping of further action- Orders- Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.IV.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 761

Dated:06-07-2010

Read the following:

1. G.O.Rt.No.1135,M.A.&U.D.(V) Deptt., Dated : 27.9.2002.
2. G.O.Ms.No.7, M.A.&U.D.(V.1) Deptt., Dated : 12.1.2004.
3. G.O.Rt.No.126,M.A.&U.D.(Vig.1) Deptt., Dated : 28.1.2005.
4. Judgment dated: 25.8.2009 of the Court of Spl.Judge for A.C.B. Cases, Visakhapatnam, in CC No.15/2004, forwarded by the Director-General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad, vide Lr.Rc.No.215/RCT-VVZ/2002 dated:29.1.2010.

ORDER:-

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, Smt. B.Jyothi Lakshmi, former Municipal Commissioner, of Saluru Municipality, Vizianagaram District, was placed under suspension by the Competent Authority, as the Accused Officer was trapped by Anti Corruption Bureau on 03.9.2002, on the allegation of demanding and acceptance of bribe of Rs.5,000/- from a Complainant, for doing official favour.

2. Whereas, in the reference 2nd read above, sanction has been accorded for prosecuting Smt. B.Jyothi Lakshmi, former Municipal Commissioner, in a Court of Law, on the above said allegation. A case in CC No.15/2004, has been registered in the Court of Special Judge for A.C.B. Cases, Visakhapatnam. In the reference 3rd read above, orders were issued revoking the suspension of the Accused Officer.

3. Whereas, the Director-General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad, in the reference 4th read above, has reported that the Hon'ble Court of Spl.Judge for A.C.B. Cases, Visakhapatnam, has pronounced the judgment dated 25.8.2009 in CC No.15/2004, wherein Smt. B.Jyothi Lakshmi, former Municipal Commissioner of Saluru Municipality, Vizianagaram District was found not guilty by the Trial Court and hence acquitted. He has also informed that there are no grounds to prefer an appeal against the said acquittal.

4. And, whereas, Government, after careful examination of the matter and in consultation with the appropriate authority, hereby drop further action, against Smt. B.Jyothi Lakshmi, former Municipal Commissioner of Saluru Municipality, Vizianagaram District, in view of the acquittal by the Spl. Judge for S.P.E & A.C.B Cases, at Visakhapatnam, vide their judgment dated 25.8.2009, in CC No. 15/2004.

5. The Commissioner and Director, Municipal Administration shall take necessary action.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

T.S.APPA RAO
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
B.Jyothi Lakshmi, former Municipal Commissioner, Saluru Municipality,
Vizianagaram through
the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad.

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Copy to:

The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad
The Regional Director-cum-Appellate Commissioner,
Municipal Administration, Visakhapatnam.

The Commissioner, Saluru Municipality, Vizianagaram District.

The Director-General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad

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SECTION OFFICER